PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice to Water Users (Pursuant to Section 85-2-307, MCA)

The following application has been submitted to appropriate water in the State of Montana.

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND CONSERVATION PROPOSES TO GRANT AN APPLICATION FOR BENEFICIAL WATER USE PERMIT. DESCRIBED BELOW ARE THE PERTINENT FACTS WHICH SUMMARIZE THE APPLICATION. THE PRELIMINARY DETERMINATION (PD) DOCUMENTING THE FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW AND ANY CONDITIONS ATTACHED TO THE WATER RIGHT ARE AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT http://www.dnrc.mt.gov/wrd/.

OBJECTION DEADLINE: DECEMBER 2, 2016. THE DEPARTMENT CAN ONLY ACCEPT OBJECTIONS FILED ON AN OBJECTION TO APPLICATION, FORM 611. MAIL THE COMPLETED FORM AND THE \$25.00 FILING FEE TO THE DNRC, PO BOX 201601, HELENA, MT 59620-1601 BY THE DEADLINE SPECIFIED. THE FORM IS AVAILABLE ON THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE.

DIRECT ANY QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO THE APPLICATION, TO OBTAIN THE PD OR OBJECTION FORM TO THE WATER RESOURCES OFFICE AT 655 TIMBERWOLF PARKWAY, SUITE 4, KALISPELL, MT 59901-2387, PHONE: 406-752-2288, FAX: 406-752-2843.

IF ISSUED, THE RIGHT WILL BE SUBJECT TO PRIOR EXISTING WATER RIGHTS.

Application Number: 76LJ 30105930

Owners: COLUMBIA RANGE SUBDIVISION HOA

159 COLUMBIA RANGE DR COLUMBIA FALLS, MT 59912

Priority Date: MAY 24, 2016 at 04:00 P.M.
Purpose (use): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

LAWN AND GARDEN

Maximum Flow Rate: 60.00 GPM
Maximum Volume: 32.60 AC-FT

Maximum Acres: 11.80

Source Name: GROUNDWATER
Source Type: GROUNDWATER

Point of Diversion and Means of Diversion:

IDGovt LotQtr SecSecTwpRgeCounty1SENENE429N20WFLATHEAD

Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Subdivision:COLUMBIA RANGEWell Depth:200.00 FEETStatic Water Level:70.00 FEET

Casing Diameter: 8.00 INCHES

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Period of Diversion: JANUARY 1 TO DECEMBER 31

Diversion Means: WELL

Subdivision: COLUMBIA RANGE
Well Depth: 200.00 FEET
Static Water Level: 70.90 FEET
Casing Diameter: 8.00 INCHES

Purpose (Use): MULTIPLE DOMESTIC

Households: 16

Volume: 7.60 AC-FT

Period of Use: JANUARY 1 to DECEMBER 31

Place of Use:

Subdivision: COLUMBIA RANGE TRACT/LOT: BLOCK:

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October 17, 2016 76LJ 30105930

Purpose (Use): LAWN AND GARDEN

Volume: 25.00 AC-FT

Period of Use: APRIL 20 to OCTOBER 10

Place of Use:

Subdivision: COLUMBIA RANGE TRACT/LOT: BLOCK:

Total: 11.80

Remarks:

WATER MEASUREMENT INFORMATION

THE APPROPRIATOR SHALL INSTALL A DEPARTMENT APPROVED IN-LINE FLOW METER AT A POINT IN THE DELIVERY LINE APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT. WATER MUST NOT BE DIVERTED UNTIL THE REQUIRED MEASURING DEVICE IS IN PLACE AND OPERATING. ON A FORM PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT, THE APPROPRIATOR SHALL KEEP A WRITTEN MONTHLY RECORD OF THE FLOW RATE AND VOLUME OF ALL WATER DIVERTED, INCLUDING THE PERIOD OF TIME. RECORDS SHALL BE SUBMITTED BY JANUARY 31ST OF EACH YEAR AND UPON REQUEST AT OTHER TIMES DURING THE YEAR UNTIL CERTIFICATION. FAILURE TO SUBMIT REPORTS MAY BE CAUSE FOR REVOCATION OF A PERMIT OR CHANGE. THE RECORDS MUST BE SENT TO THE KALISPELL WATER RESOURCES REGIONAL OFFICE. THE APPROPRIATOR SHALL MAINTAIN THE MEASURING DEVICE SO IT ALWAYS OPERATES PROPERLY AND MEASURES FLOW RATE AND VOLUME ACCURATELY.

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